

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, I meant what you said. See, the rules are not to be rewritten by the Chair, not to be rewritten by the Speaker, not to be rewritten by the Clerk and I know it's a time when everybody feels good, but there are other instances when things are not done this way. So either a motion to reconsider is that or it's not. So I would like the Chair to read me the rule that says a motion to reconsider has a condition attached to it. And if you read me that, then I will sit down. I don't have my rule book turned to that so I'm looking for your guidance. In other words, this is a point of order.

SENATOR CONWAY: Senator Chambers, before us we have a motion to overrule the Speaker's agenda. That is what we're addressing, not a motion to reconsider the vote on LB 72, so we're dealing with the rules that are applicable to overruling the Speaker's agenda.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: With reference to what? The motion to reconsider, isn't that right? You're trying to overrule the Speaker's agenda so you can get to the motion to reconsider. If we overrule...okay, let me ask you...

SENATOR CONWAY: It's not the motion in front of us.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: If we vote to overrule the agenda, we overrule it for what purpose? What will be the result of that vote?

SENATOR CONWAY: To take up a reconsideration vote on LB 72.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So why do we have to overrule the Speaker's agenda to get to a priority motion when our rules tell us what a priority motion is and what status it is accorded?

SENATOR CONWAY: It was filed this way in order to get LB 72 ahead of the other bills listed on the Speaker's agenda.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: What is your ruling, that we'd have to overrule the Speaker's agenda to get to the priority motion, because I'm raising a point of order?

SENATOR CONWAY: To address your point of order, I guess the only thing I can respond to initially is that what we're dealing with is a motion filed with the Clerk which was to override the Speaker's agenda.